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To take those handsome
Presents given away by the

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But everybody does it.
Opposite Postoffice.

WEATHER FORECAST:

Tomorrow Fair.

VOLUME 2

ADA, INDIAN TERRITORY, WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 27, 1905

NUMBER 240

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

LAST WEEK: IN THE YEAR

No freight or any other item of expense will be charged on any piece of winter merchandise now remaining in our store during this week. Winter suits, winter overcoats, winter dress goods, winter shoes and winter underwear must be cleaned up this week at and less than actual first cost. Let us supply the rest of your needs for winter clothing and shoes. The gain will be yours.

COX - GREER
Dry Goods Company.

REVOLT AT MOSCOW HAS BEEN CRUSHED

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—Emperor Nicholas and Count Witte received last night a report from Gen. Doubassoff, Governor General of Moscow, saying that the revolt there had failed; that the military had the situation in hand and that whatever defection may have existed among the troops had been overcome by attacks on them with revolvers and bombs, to which they had been subjected from the windows and roofs of houses and which had so enraged them they could hardly be restrained.

Firing continued intermittently throughout the day. At 5 o'clock automatic guns were used in Strastner Square, but the insurgents were becoming exhausted after their four days' efforts, and the fighting was rapidly degenerating into guerrilla warfare. The insurgents were defending them-

selves with revolvers and bombs as they were being hunted from house to house.

A terrible holocaust occurred at the Syrin works, where 6,000 workmen were suddenly surrounded by cavalry and artillery. The latter fired at the building, which was soon in flames. Hundreds perished in the conflagration.

Frenzied With Fire Water

A revolting shooting occurred Christmas night at an Indian dance two miles east of Sasakwa. An Indian named Pompey Davis apparently became crazed with liquor and fired three shots at his wife, one of the shots taking effect in the arm of his 18 months old baby. He fled at once and at last reports was still unapprehended.

POSTOFFICE POLITICS BROUGHT HIM TO GRIEF

Ardmore, I. T., Dec. 27.—H. S. Conner of Purcell was placed in the federal jail here last afternoon to serve a thirty days' sentence for contempt of court. He was recently fined \$500 and given such jail sentence by Judge Dickerson at Purcell. Trouble grew out of Conner's candidacy for appointment as postmaster at Purcell. Until recently he was assistant postmaster there and recently sued his opponent for appointment, C. D. Strassberger, for slander in the sum of ten thousand dollars. Conviction is the alleged result of Conner's tampering with jury lists.

Died.

At the home of his daughter, Mrs. Blackwood, in North Ada at 3 a. m. Wednesday Mr. Cumberland Polk, Aged 77 years. The remains will be interred in Rosedale cemetery Thursday at 10:30.

The cause of Mr. Polk's death is peculiar. Several days ago he bit his tongue. Later blood poison set up in the trivial wound, resulting fatally. He was an old settler in this section. His friends grieve with the family over the passing of the pioneer.

Toilet sets, sterling silver mounted, at Srague Bros. tf 222

FINDS FATHER AFTER A LIFE-TIME SEARCH

It reads not unlike romance, does the story of Henry Kroth. After twenty years patient, persistent search for a loving father of whom he had the dimmest childhood recollection, now at the age of twenty-five Henry's efforts have met with sudden success. To fully appreciate the joy with which the young man received intelligence of his father, perhaps one must first suffer such a life-time deprivation, all the time with the instinctive knowledge that the father still lived and loved.

Henry Kroth was born near Waco, Texas. When he was two years of age his mother died and his father, William H. Kroth, placed the child in the care of the mother's sister until he should grow large enough to join his father. Thus he was reared, Mr. Kroth supporting in comfort both the child and aunt, until five years old. At this time Mr. Kroth, who was a railroad conductor, wrote that he was coming after his boy. The aunt had become very much attached to the little fellow and loath to give him up, hurriedly removed to the vicinity of Lehigh, I. T., carefully covering her tracks.

Not long afterward this aunt died leaving the boy to be reared

by others of her kin and by strangers. At the age of twelve he was thrown upon his own resources. During most of the last twelve years he has struggled and rustled for himself in the neighborhood of Ada, I. T. He now occupies the position of freight clerk for the Frisco at this station, and is an industrious young man of excellent character.

During all these years he has made diligent inquiry for his father, without so much as hearing of a person bearing the name Kroth. However, he thought he heard when a child that his father's people lived in Kansas. Acting upon this impression, three weeks ago he wrote letters of inquiry to every county recorder in that state. A response from one of these brought the information that a wealthy old farmer of the name lived near Havensville, Kansas. Young Kroth communicated at once with the latter and received yesterday a telegram from him announcing that he is the grandfather, of whom the boy is a namesake, and that the father resides at Antimony, Howard County, Ark. Of course the son sent a telegram to Arkansas immediately and expects to be with his father so soon as practicable.

A DOUBLE LYNCHING BROUGHT TO LIGHT

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 27.—News of a double lynching at Barnwell Friday has been received here. Sheriff Creech has wired Governor Heyward that the affair was brutal murder; that helpless prisoners were butchered in open daylight and that officers were guilty of dereliction of duty.

H. S. Craddock, a well known white merchant, was killed by Frank and John Deloache, negroes, who were arrested by the Constable and locked up. The men were taken out and shot to death with guns and pistols Friday.

The news of the lynching was suppressed.

Sheriff Creech is preparing to make arrests and Governor Heyward announces he will sustain them.

The "Convict's Daughter."

One of the most entertaining and finely mounted plays of the season will be seen at the Ada opera house January 2. It is a superb offering and credit is due to Managers Chitwood & Constant for securing this excellent production. "The Convict's Daughter" is possessed of a well defined plot, a story interestingly and effectively told. The cast is all that could be desired, and all are well adapted to their respective parts. The scenic effects are good, and the prison scene in Act IV particularly thrilling. They must be seen to be fully appreciated, and those who fail to see them will certainly do themselves an injustice.

Money loaned on chattels and crops, on improved city property or to build, and on intermarried citizen's surplus land, and on land where restrictions have been removed. W. H. Ebey. tf 193

BIG INCENDIARY FIRE IN BUSINESS BLOCK

Sulphur, I. T., Dec. 27.—Fire early yesterday morning destroyed four brick and stone buildings in the west part of the city. The fire started in the dry goods establishment of J. B. Chambers and continued down the line, destroying entirely the furniture stock of H. F. Weems, the dry goods stock belonging to Williams & Henly and the drug stock belonging to Frame & Line. Insurance was carried on all the stocks and buildings. Total losses about \$50,000. The fire is thought to be of incendiary origin and suspicions center upon a certain party who lives here.

An Indian Killed.

Tishomingo, I. T., Dec. 27.—Clayburn McKinney, a full-blood Indian, was shot and instantly killed at 5 o'clock last evening just outside the city limits. A shotgun was used, blowing McKinney's brains out.

Guy Keel, an Indian, was arrested and placed in jail. Kee's 8-year-old son was a witness to the shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Westcott of Dallas, who have been visiting Mr. Westcott's parents, left last night for St. Louis.

TEMPERATURE TODAY:

At 3 p. m., 55 degrees.

MOST STOCKS Are Badly Broken

It pays to keep in touch with
with a house like ours . . .
Trade with the Big Cash
Store, where you can get
what you call for . . .

Scott-Hoard Co

PAUL W. ALLEN,
Livery, Feed and Sale Stable.
Horses Boarded by Day or Week.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Best of Service.

Allen Livery Barn

South Townsend Ave.,

Phone 64.

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(Over Freeman's Store)

SHOULD BE YOUR TAILOR

Five hundred of the latest up-to-date styles just received to select from. Fit guaranteed on every garment made in my shop. First class workmanship, my motto.

GUS KRANNICH,

K. C. Tailor Shop.

Ada, I. T.

15 DAYS ONLY \$10.00 off on all Tailor Made Suits
One-half off on all Misfits

Chitwood, The Tailor.

Fancy Lump COAL!

Now is the season to place your orders for coal. We handle the South McAlester, Henryetta and Coalgate, Fancy Lump Coal and can fill your orders on shortest notice. Orders to be delivered same day must be received by 4 o'clock p. m.

CRYSTAL ICE and COAL CO.

Phone No: 122

The Ada National Bank.

TOM HOPE, President. JNO. L. BARRINGER, Vice President.

FRANK JONES Cashier. ORVILLE SNEAD, asst Cashier

Capital Stock, - - - - - \$50,000.00

Undivided Profits, - - - - - 20,200.00

Blanks Furnished and Remittances Made to the Government on Town Lots.

ADA, CHICKASAW NATION, IND. TER.

ADA EVENING NEWS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

Entered as Second class matter March 26, 1904, at the Postoffice at Ada, Indian Territory, under the Act of Congress March 3, 1869.

OTIS B. WEAVER & CO. - - - PUBLISHERS
M. D. STEINER, - - - BUSINESS MANAGER

Advertising rates furnished on application

SOUTHERN DISTRICT SITUATION.

The enigmatical political situation existing in the Southern District is thus summarized in the *Ardmoreite*:

Political complications seem to increase as the days go by. Those intimate with the situation state that there never were tights that were so uncertain as the ones that are now pending. Ordinarily, with the political machinery behind a candidate, the situation was accepted as an almost certain fact that the organization man would be appointed. But the recent trend of events have convinced the machinery men that all is not well and that they must fight to win.

The trouble of the party began when Soper packed his grip and left Washington, leaving the candidates to struggle for themselves. This was a nice situation, it is said, for the party to confront. Many messages have been sent to Soper asking the true status of things. Nothing has been heard from him in answer to the inquiries.

Henry M. Carr wires today from Washington to correct the report that he is supporting Humphrey. He adds in his message he is a winner. This means that Carr is still in the fight and his candidacy will serve to complicate matters and lessen the chances of Humphrey who is fighting hard to stand.

Robnett is in Washington and will remain until he gets the tip in some form that he is to be appointed or not. Wortham will reach the capital today and he will begin his fight. Colbert is still in the territory sawing wood. He does not seem to be disturbed in the least by the candidacy of others. It may be possible that he has received a tip from the white house. Some are inclined to think that he has.

It may be said to the credit of the party in the territory that it has made a great fight for the enforcement of home rule.

BURNING OF THE EARTH.

Said That Collision with Nearest Fixed Star May Be Source of Fire.

It is to be destroyed by fire as predicted in the Second Epistle of St. Peter, what is to cause the fire? Dr. J. E. Gore, the British astronomer, finds that no outburst of the sun from internal activity is likely to be sufficient, and it is to heat from collision that we must look. To collide with the nearest fixed star the sun must travel at its present rate for 80,000 years. The sun is speeding 11 miles per second toward Vega (Alpha Lyrae), and it is possible that one of the dark bodies of space may approach from that direction, or even now be on the way. Dr. Gore calculates that such a body having the sun's mass and earth's density would shine by the sun's light as a ninth magnitude star on reaching a distance of 15,000,000,000 miles. Moving at the sun's velocity with gradual acceleration, it would approach to 6,000,000 miles in ten years, when it would flash into naked eye view as a "new star" of fifth magnitude. In four years more it would be as near as Uranus, in another year as near as Jupiter, and far outshining both Jupiter and Venus. Then the earth's distance would be reached in 55 days, and the sun in eight days more, the speed having increased to 100 miles per second. The collision would be a colossal St. Pierre. Both sun and colliding body would be vaporized within an hour, and the sun

Cinematograph not new. In a lecture before the Society of Arts, London, Martin Duncan stated that the cinematograph may be traced back to 180 A. D. from a document in the Bodleian Library at Oxford.

Unmistakable Guilt. You are sure that man cheated?" "Yes, sir," answered Three-Fingered Sam. "He held four aces."

But that is not conclusive evidence.

"It was in this case, I knew where the three regular aces was, myself." —Washington Star.

Telephone Talk.

Patience—I had Will on the wire this afternoon.

Patrice—How does he like the chance?

What change?"

"Why, you've had him on a string for some time." —Yankees' Statesman.

Suit.

Novy—My wedding suit cost me \$150. Pretty expensive eh?"

Butts—Yes, but that isn't a marker to what my divorce suit cost.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Do Your Christmas Planning Here.



Give Mother

a Buck's Range, a set of Kitchen Vessels, a pair of Shears.

Give Father

a new Razor, a good Gun, a Chase's Lap Robe.

Give Sister a handsome Chafing Dish.

Give Brother a Pocket Knife, a new Saddle.

Our Nickel Plated Copperware is made by Rochester Stamping Company and is the very best.

Chase's best Mohair Lap Robe, worth \$25.00, now = \$20.00.

Chase's next best Mohair Lap Robe, worth \$17.50 now = \$13.50.

PREMIUM STAMPS Given with Each Purchase

Ada Hardware Co..

East Main Street.
Duncan Block.

THE ELITE CAFE

CHARLEY EVANS, Prop.

The Elite Cafe is now under the management of the above named gentleman who will give the public the best service obtainable. The restaurant department will be started in a day or two and this will receive special attention.

Yours for Business.

CHARLEY EVANS.

To Aid the Southwest

Have you seen the new magazine, *Southwest*?

It is published in St. Louis (formerly the Frisco Magazine).

It is published by a Southwest man, contains stories of the Southwest and articles of interest to Southwest people, contributed by Southwest writers. It circulates in the Southwest, and contains the advertisements of Southwest firms. It will aid the Southwest in all her aims—for more people, for more factories, for advantageous legislation—for investment, immigration and irrigation.

Aid the work and benefit yourself by subscribing. Send 50c for a year, 25c for six months, or a postal for a sample copy FREE.

We also answer free of charge, inquiries from persons interested in settling or investing in the Southwest and furnish advertising rates on application. Address

Southwest, 1021 Frisco Building, St. Louis

Otis B. Weaver Fire Insurance Agent

Represents several old line companies with practically unlimited capital, all of whom will positively meet any rate and in some instances write fire insurance much cheaper.

With such companies, several years experience and an expert fire writer in office, your business is solicited.

Otis B. Weaver

Fire Insurance Agent

EVANGELIST P. M. FITZGERALD, of Texas,

who will begin a protracted meeting at the Cumberland Presbyterian church on corner of Townsend Avenue and Fifteenth Street, on 31st day of December, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which service the church will be dedicated. Bro. Fitzgerald is known all over the south and west as one of the strongest preachers in the denomination. We cordially invite everybody to attend, and especially invite all the ministers of the city and Christian people to help us in this work.

Torture of a Preacher

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies without relief until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which entirely cured my cough and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of throat and lungs. At Clark Drug Co. and Dr. F. Z. Holley's Drug Store, price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed trial bottle free.

Exceptional Holiday Rates Via Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway

On December 21, 22 and 23 Holiday tickets will be sold at greatly reduced rates to certain points in Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Wisconsin and Wyoming. Tickets good 30 days from date of sale.

On December 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 31, 1905, and January 1, 1906, holiday tickets will be sold between local stations and to points on connecting lines, with final return limit of January 4, 1906.

See the Ticket Agent for rates and particulars.

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Matte Smith went to Wetumka for a few days' visit.

Stick pins at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

J. A. Gibson returned to Denison after a visit with his son-in-law, George Erwin.

For watches, clocks, jewelry, see Sprague Bros. 222 tf

J. T. Mayes, who has been visiting his father at McGee, returned to Texas today.

Sprague Bros., signet rings. 222 tf

B. W. Bolen and family, who have been visiting in Ada, went back to Frances today.

300 pattern set rings at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

A. B. Crawford returned to Krum, Texas, after a pleasant visit with his kinspeople, the Edgleman's.

Best watch on earth for \$1.00 at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

Mrs. M. D. Steiner and children came in this morning from their holiday trip to home folks at Plevna Kansas.

Only one quality—Best—at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

Miss May Couch has returned from a visit with her father at Sasakwa.

When you want coal phone No. 246, Ada Coal Co. 224 tf

R. C. Couch and little daughter went back to Sasakwa after a overnight stay in Ada.

Indian curios at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

Prof. Dickinson of Brevard School went to Oklahoma City for a short visit.

Dr. B. H. Erb, surgeon dentist, Henley & Biles building. 233 tf

Mayor Duncan returned from a brief holiday stay with relatives in Texas.

Wedding announcements—the up-to-date kind—at the News of See.

Miss Frances Moore has returned from her Christmas visit at South McAlester.

1847 Rogers knives and forks, 12 dwt., \$8.25 at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

LOST:—An Ingersoll watch. Leave at this office. 2t 240

Buy your knives and forks at A. L. Nettles. They are solid silver, cheaper and better than the Rogers plated. St 237

LOST:—Last night a black fur between Mrs. Reed's and Mrs. Winn's. Return to Mrs. Winn. It 240

Burn McAllister and Lehigh egg coal, \$5.00 and \$6.00 per ton. Ada Coal Co., phone 246. 224 tf

Mrs. Caroline Chapman, mother of Deputy Marshal Chapman, is right sick.

Shotguns, targets and pistols cheap for the next ten days at A. L. Nettles. St 237

Mesdames C. R. Patterson and W. P. Martin are reported seriously sick.

New Flag for Court House

The marshal's office is in receipt of a new flag, six feet by twelve, sent by the government. In a day or so it will be raised over the court house and old glory will flaunt its folds in the face of the breezes.

Notice

I will not credit any one after Jan. 1, but will make you good price for cash. 5t 240

R. S. Tobin.

Bring Your FEET

To us and let us fit them while our Cost Sale is on : : : :

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DOLLARS

Are saved by hundreds who are buying : : :

XMAS GOODS

AT

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THE NEW STORE.

New goods, largest varieties, best quality, at prices that meet short crop conditions.

DOLLS, DOLLS.

Toys in woods, tin, iron, buggies, wagons, carts, in endless varieties.

FANCY CHINA.

Our importations of the best dishes, Haviland, Austrian, English and American, sold in any quantity.

LAMPS.

Plain and fancy, large variety at right prices.

GLASSWARE.

The very latest designs and shapes.

BOOKS.

For both young and old, best authors, handsomely decorated.

OUR STAPLE WARE.

Such as lanterns, lamps, tinware, stationery, graniteware, baskets, notions, etc.

Remember:—Our method of plain prices gives us equal chance to young and old. Purchase early and avoid the rush. Our goods are well displayed. We have the goods in quantity, quality and price that suit you. LOOK. Opposite the postoffice.

Bocher's Store.

ADA and SHAWNEE.

Social Gathering.

Miss Nema Thompson entertained Tuesday evening about a score of Ada's young people. Until a late hour the parlors were vibrant with merriment and music. After the termination of a delightful series of progressive games the guests were regaled with ambrosia, cake and chocolate. Miss Thompson and her mother duly maintained their record as exceptionally gracious hostesses.

Post-Christmas Hilarity.

Messrs. Tom Graves and John Waller were thrown in last afternoon for getting too hilarious, etc. Both parties pleaded guilty in mayor's court this morning. Waller was let off light, but Graves was pulled for about \$14. It is presumed this amount will cover the damage to the calaboose wrought by him in his mad fury. The bastile, it is said, looks like the souvenir of cyclone since it went up against him.

Ada's Young Society.

Tuesday evening Ada's younger society people, about sixty strong, were royally entertained by Masters Gilbert, Everett and Jack Reed at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Reed. Many games were played and much music was rendered, and at a seasonable hour cake and orange punch were served—all to the intense delight of the youthful guests. They departed smacking their lips over the fun and refreshments.

Bullet Fired Into Harris Home.

Some miscreant Monday night fired a shot that might have proved serious. At about nine o'clock a pistol report was heard and the occupants at the J. F. M. Harris home discovered that a ball had bored a hole through the screen and window pane on the west side of the house and lodged in a feather bed opposite. The ball narrowly missed several parties which is extremely fortunate. Pistol firing is a dangerous practice and should be punished.

They are going to get their fall suits and trousers at the

NEW TAILOR

shop in the rear of CHAPMAN'S shoe store. Swell-est, snappiest line of woolens ever shown in Ada, so cheap too.

Quality and fit guaranteed. High class cleaning, steam

drying, ladies' and mens' clothing.

NASH, the Tailor.

Midway and Henryetta fancy lump, \$6.00 per ton. Some certain party is trying to mislead by telling the people of Ada that he is connected with me in the coal business. I will say to the citizens of Ada that I have no partner at all.

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If you want good old time meal take your corn to the Ada Wagon Yard and get it ground. Meal for sale or exchange.

G. B. DISMUKES.

CITY BARBER SHOP.

D. A. DORSEY, Prop.

First Class Work Guaranteed.

Hair Cut 25c, Shave 30c.

South Side Main St., Ada, I. T.

Ada Pressed Brick & Tile Co.

Face and common brick for quick shipment. Best by test.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

Reed & Harrison Wholesale Buggies

The Best Makes, the Lowest Prices.

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G. M. ANGLIN.

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THE ELECTRICAL BUSINESS

like every other business has its styles and its fashions. Our stock of fixtures is always up to the minute. We are also prepared to render the best service in plumbing and waterworks supplies and our prices are always consistent with our services. The best is always the cheapest. We also carry a full line of steam fixtures. Your patronage solicited.

Ada Electric and Plumbing Supply Co. Phone 237

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At the Postoffice Stand

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Fresh Bread, Cakes, Pies, Etc.

A Fine Line of Candies

116 SOUTH BROADWAY, OPPOSITE OLD POSTOFFICE

NEW MANAGEMENT!

Having assumed control of the Chickasaw Wagon and Feed Yard we take pleasure in announcing that we will at all times keep a full line of all kinds of feed. Free delivery to all parts of the city. Your patronage solicited. Phone 85.

Houser Brothers.

To All Our Friends And Patrons We Wish

A Prosperous New Year.

Dimes

Look

Small

Much smaller than usual in comparison with those big bargains that they will buy during the next few days before we move. Think of buying a gold decorated dinner plate of fine white, some porcelain, and cups and saucers to match all for a dime. Good heavy hammers 10c. Ash shovels, nicely enameled that you'll consider good value at 15c. we sell them for 5c. and so on all through the store—really if you don't visit us during this sale you'll miss some of the biggest bargains that have ever been given by us.

Nickel Store.

S. M. Shaw, Prop
The 5c and 10c store of Ada, I. T.
Phone 77.

Good values in diamonds at Sprague Bros. 222 tf

Satisfaction guaranteed if you buy your coal from the Ada Coal Co. Phone 246. 224 tf

LOST—One Stooak lap robe; tie up of two steers on front side, black on the other. Reward if delivered to Jas. E. Webb. 239 St

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152 tf

Jack Streif and family will leave Thursday for their new home at St. Louis.

Mrs. W. W. Higgins entertained the XX Century Club in social session last afternoon. An enjoyable literary-musical program was rendered.

Premium.

Premium stamps given away with holiday goods and all other goods at the Crescent Drug Store. 235

Great Bargains in REALESTATE

I have the following bargains in real estate which if taken in the next 30 days will be sold at reduced prices:

IMPROVED PROPERTY.

Four 25-foot lots on East Main St. Two 50-foot lots on 15th street, with 4-room house.

Three 50-foot lots on corner Broadway and Sixth street.

One lot and building known as the mayor's office.

VACANT PROPERTY.

Two 50-foot lots on West Main St.

Four 50-foot lots in North Ada.

Two 50-foot lots on East Sixth St.

Also 20 acres of land, one-half in cultivation, two miles due north of Ada National bank.

J. M. BRUNNER,
Citizens National Bank Building.

WILD DAYS IN ODESSA.

Drunken Policemen and Soldiers Running Amuck Among the People.

Here is a correspondent's record of the minor hooligan outrages of one day in the city of Odessa recently: "Shortly before sundown a drunken member of a small military picket staggered across to the edge of the broad pavement, raised his rifle and fired wildly at a passing drosky carrying two women and a young girl. The bullet missed its mark. An officer, attracted by the shot, rushed over, and the drunken soldier ran as best he could, after dropping his rifle, but was brought down by a shot in the leg from the officer. On the opposite side of Cathedral place, 300 paces away, about the same time, an intoxicated policeman reeled out of a vodka shop and commenced blazing about with his revolver, one shot wounding a young woman in the hand. He was shot dead by a member of the nearest picket.

"Earlier in the day two small merchants returning through a busy thoroughfare from the custom house were stopped by hooligans and robbed of everything. Thirty yards away stood a picket of two soldiers and a policeman. The indignant victims demanded to know why the picket did not come to their assistance. One of the soldiers replied it was none of their business; they were there to control the traffic only.

"Two other cases of robbery with violence occurred in the afternoon close to my residence, in the outer districts of the city there were 17 similar assaults and robberies, and between nightfall and midnight about 20. In three of the latter cases the military pickets were the bandits. A little girl of nine years, chased by the hooligans, was shot dead on her own doorstep."

ALASKA NATIVE BEAR HUNT

Which Famous Hunter Displayed Agility That Was Marvelous.

"Bear hunting as pursued by the Alaska native is an interesting game," remarked J. P. Gardiner, a Nome miner, reports the San Francisco Chronicle.

"I witnessed a bear hunt on Kadiak Island a few months ago. A big brown bear, one of the species familiarly known on Kadiak Island and the other Aleutian Islands, was pestering the settlement, and a native who bore a wide reputation for prowess among his people decided to go after the animal. Before starting on the expedition, however, he went to his mother and obtained her permission. His mother was the eldest woman of the tribe, and without her consent he wouldn't have stirred an inch. She gave her consent, so the native hunter, armed only with a knife, started out. Three more of us, with rifles, accompanied him. We agreed among us to allow the native to have the first chance at the bear and to shoot only if he failed to kill the beast.

"We came upon the bear in a ravine. The native crouched on the ground as the bear came up. We became quite excited. It was to be a hand-to-hand battle, and we feared the native would get the worst of it. As the bear approached the native it reared on its hind legs. We had our guns ready for instant action. But the guns were not needed. Quick as a flash the native sprang up and had his knife clutched into the animal's heart and was away several steps before the bear knew what had happened. It was a death blow, and we packed the pelt back to Karluk in triumph."

GREAT SLAUGHTER OF GAME

Thousands Upon Thousands of Wild Animals Destroyed in South Africa.

During the four months of the shooting season of 1904 something like 13,000 head of game has been sold on the Kimberley market. Those figures were rather staggering, but it is surprising, perhaps, to hear that they had more than doubled during the present year.

The secretary of the Game Protection association had obtained a return from the marketmaster which showed that 29,119 head of game were sold on the Kimberley market during the period April 1 to August 15 last. Of that 29,119, say 2,000 head were small birds which did not come within the usual interpretation of the word "game," that left something like 27,000 head of buck and birds which were included in the usual interpretation of the word "game." That was a lamentable return, and clearly emphasized the necessity for taking some action to stop the indiscriminate slaughter of game.

The totals under the various heads of the return showed that the game included 3,402 springbuck, 244 duiker, 1,816 stembuck, 6,863 hares—the past season had been a remarkable one for hares, as all knew—3,897 korhaan, 3,247 redwing, 704 guinea fowl, 137 peacock, 229 wild duck, 25 wild geese and 8,555 partridges and small birds.

Many Self-Denials for Flute Player.

Kissing, the use of tobacco and indulgence in intoxicants are equally disastrous to the ambitions of the flutist, according to John J. Cafarelli, a flutist of over 20 years standing. Muscles of a flutist's mouth are tender to a degree, or they are sensitive, that is the word," said Mr. Cafarelli. "They are trained to the action necessary to the performance with the flute, but at the same time they are more sensitive than the ordinary muscles. Tobacco and intoxicants absolutely unfit the player for his work, as they make the muscles of the mouth so flabby and limp that they cannot perform their necessary and difficult work."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

LONG TRIP WITH OX TEAM.

Over 1500 Miles Made by Elderly Couple and Family in Eight Months.

An old-time prairie schooner, drawn by two ox teams and the wagon filled with the entire earthly possessions of William Hoyt has covered the distance of 1,200 miles between Decatur, Ala., and Guthrie since April 6 last, with stops of several weeks duration at Memphis, Little Rock and Fort Smith, where Hoyt worked to get enough money on which to continue the journey to Beaver country, in this territory, where he will homestead a claim and begin life anew, says a Guthrie (Okla.) correspondence of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Hoyt is now 60 years old, and is accompanied by his wife, aged 52, a son, Louis, aged 14, and two daughters, Clementine, aged 13, and Katherine, aged 10. When the outfit reaches Beaver county it will have covered 1,500 miles.

Hoyt himself is white haired, but spry. All his life he has been an iron molder and for 40 years he worked in shops at Decatur. Finally he became sick and his physicians recommended a complete change of climate. Hoyt sold what property he had and purchased the oxen and six head of cows and started. Hoyt and his son attend to the oxen while the mother and oldest girl follow on foot with the cows. The cows are tied together, to prevent a stampede, and all are led by Mrs. Hoyt. The girl leads a three-months-old calf. All parts, excepting the youngest daughter, have walked practically the entire distance.

Hoyt has regained his health and expects to use the oxen next spring to break sod and tend at least 50 acres of corn and kafir corn.

GIANT WORK OF GLACIER.

Electric Power Being Generated by Melted Ice of the Northwestern Mountains.

CHRISTMAS TREE GAMBLE.

Dealers in the Holiday Bushes Never Know How They Are Coming Out.

From the glacial streams of Tacoma is already generated a very large quantity of electric power, which is being utilized not only for power, but for heating and lighting as well. To give an idea of the diversity of uses for the current, says the Technical World Magazine, it may be stated that it operates the electric railway systems in the cities of Seattle and Tacoma aggregating 16 miles of trolley line, in addition to cable railways situated in the hilly portions of these cities. Besides this service, however, current is furnished for one of the most notable interurban electric railways in the United States, that extending between Seattle and Tacoma, where power is secured from the third rail in connection with the multiple-unit system. This line is employed not only for passenger service, but for transporting freight and express material, and ranks among the most completely equipped electric systems in the world. The horse power required for a number of the largest industries in the city of Tacoma, including the shops of the Northern Pacific railway and the water-works pumping plant, is also obtained from this source, while illumination for streets and buildings, in both Seattle and Tacoma, depends upon it to a considerable extent. The demand for power is increasing so rapidly that within a few years Mount Tacoma will be supplying fully 50,000 horse-power to the cities mentioned.

PEARLS FOR THE MARKET.

Fresh Water Gems Cultivated for Sale in the Mississippi Basin.

WOOD IN BOWLING BALLS.

Lignumvitae Not Now the Predominating Variety Used in Their Manufacture.

With the great increase in the number of women bowlers in recent years came a demand for bowling balls lighter than those of lignumvitae. One of the woods used for this purpose is called sappacue, and comes from Cuba. Rosewood is now also occasionally used and so is mahogany.

Formerly all bowling balls were made without finger holes. Now it is common to make them with finger holes. Some bowlers prefer only two finger holes, one for the thumb and another for one finger. Other balls are made with an opening large enough to accommodate all the fingers, such being called slot balls.

Bowling balls are sometimes covered with rubber, as are also, where such balls are used, the pins. This arrangement makes the game less noisy. There is now made a solid hard rubber bowling ball that is asserted to possess extraordinary merits. It is said it will outwear many wooden balls and remains always true in shape.

A regulation lignumvitae ball costs about four dollars, a solid hard rubber bowling ball of regulation size and weight costs \$20.

"I know it. As I said before, I am a vegetarian."—Chicago Tribune.

Reading Her Face.

Mabel (not in her first youth)—First of all he held my hands and told my fortune; and then, Evie, he gazed into my face ever so long, and said he could read my thoughts. Wasn't that clever of him, dear?

Evie—Oh, I suppose he read between the lines, darling.—Chicago Daily News.

Invaluable.

Norah—You take Tom out in your auto every day, don't you? He appears to be a necessary fixture in the machine.

Cora—He is. He's an automatic sparkler.—Cleveland Leader.

A WOMAN'S FRIENDSHIP.

Instances of Intense Personal Attachments Among Historic Characters.

When Mme. de Staél was dying she wrote Mme. Recamier, closing her letter as follows: "All that is left of me embraces you."

Mme. Recamier devoted the remainder of her life in cherishing the memory of Mme. de Staél, says the Pilgrim. The only person who ever came near filling Mme. de Staél's place in her heart was Elizabeth Foster, the beautiful duchess of Devonshire—the original of Sir Joshua Reynolds' famous portrait.

Margaret Fuller formed many impassioned connections with women during her life. They were attracted by her powers of intellect and harmony.

There are three noted instances of platonic attachments—Petrarch and Laura, and Dante and Beatrice, and Joanna Baillie and Sir Walter Scott.

Mme. Roland and her husband were alike and inseparable. John Stuart Mill and his wife were companions, as were also Elizabeth and Robert Browning. These relations can be easily explained. The fever of time produces lassitude, dispels illusions, and undermines passions. Then the love of these strong souls turns into that crowning lasting union—friendship.

There was a great friendship between Goethe and his sister Cornelia. She was a year younger than he, and, while not at all good looking, had superior endowments of mind and character. The attachment between Byron and his sister, Mrs. Leigh, was most touching. She remained unalterably attached to him during the dreadful storm of unpopularity which drove him out of England. Four of his best poems were composed for and addressed to her. Byron's last words were of his sister and his daughter.

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And she put her trust in him.—Chicago Daily News.

ACTING UNDER ORDERS.

"I should like to go to your party, above all things," Mrs. Lapstrop was saying, "but the doctor says I must remain exclusive for a week more.

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